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Title : DEVICE AND METHOD FOR INSPECTION OF BAGGAGE AND OTHER
OBJECTS

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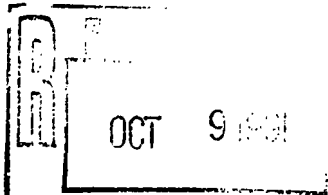
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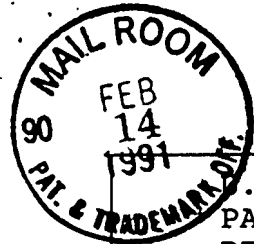
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this assignment including said application, any and all United States and foreign patents granted for any of said inventions or improvements, and the right to claim priority based on the filing date of said application under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the European Patent Convention, and all other treaties of like purposes; and we authorize the Assignee to apply in all countries in our name or in its own name for patents and like rights of exclusion and for inventors' certificates for said inventions and improvements; and we agree for ourselves and our respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns, without further compensation to perform such lawful acts and to sign such further applications, assignments, Preliminary Statements and other lawful documents as the Assignee may reasonably request to effectuate fully this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at WALTHAM,
this 11 day of February, 1991
Kristoph D. Krug L.S.
First Middle Initial Last

STATE OF Massachusetts :
:ss.
COUNTY OF Middlesex :

Before me this 11th day of February, 1991, personally appeared Kristoph D. Krug known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Waltham

this 11 day of Feb, 1991

John A. Stein L.S.
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STATE OF Mass:

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COUNTY OF Middlesex:

Before me this 11th day of February, 1991, personally appeared John A. Stein known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

[Signature]
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at WALTHAM

this 11th day of FEBRUARY, 1991

[Signature] L.S.
First Middle Initial Last

STATE OF Massachusetts:

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Before me this 11th day of February, 1991, personally appeared Adam S. Taylor known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

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